19. Explain the role of grammar and composition in English language teaching and their assessment through examinations.

20. Discuss about the importance of public speaking and presentation skills in English language learning, with reference to non-verbal communication and interview preparation.

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Time : Three hours Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

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1. What are the main challenges faced by a teacher of English in India?

2. Mention two key elements involved in teaching English effectively.

3. What is a lesson plan?

4. Define "technique" in language teaching.

5. What are the objectives of teaching poetry in the classroom?

6. Define "intensive reading" and "extensive reading."

7. What is the difference between formal and functional grammar?

8. Define composition in English teaching.

9. What is meant by non-verbal communication?

10. Mention two important qualities of an effective public speaker.

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

11. (a) Discuss the major problems of English teachers in multilingual classrooms.

Or

(b) Explain the role of motivation and learner needs in the teaching of English.

12. (a) How can a teacher manage and teach prose effectively in large classes?

Or

(b) Explain the difference between method, approach, and technique in English language teaching.

13. (a) Suggest some methods for developing reading skills through poetry.

Or

(b) How can a teacher make poetry classes more interactive and enjoyable?

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14. (a) Discuss the importance of integrating grammar and composition in language learning.

Or

(b) How can examinations in English be made more effective and learner-centered?

15. (a) Describe the key non-verbal skills that enhance public speaking and presentation.

Or

(b) What are the essential steps to prepare for a successful interview?

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

16. Write an essay on the problems and prospects of teaching English in India, highlighting the teacher's role in overcoming challenges.

17. Elaborate on the importance of lesson planning and discuss effective strategies for teaching English prose in large classes.

18. Write an essay on the techniques of teaching reading skills through poetry with suitable examples from classroom practice.